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BY HAND AND E-FILING

Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
One South Station
Boston, MA 02110

Re: D.T.E. 04-71 Boston Edison Company d/b/a NSTAR Electric
Petition under G.L. c. 164 §72 Regarding a Proposed 3 mile 115 kV Overhead
Transmission Line Through the Towns of Framingham, Natick and Sherborn,
Massachusetts

Dear Ms. Cottrell:

In accordance with the Department's Notice of Public Hearing and the Department's Procedural Rules, we file herewith an original and ten copies of the Petition of ISO-New England Inc To Participate in this proceeding as a Limited Participant.

If there are any questions about this filing, kindly contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Eric J. Krathwohl

Enclosure

cc: Andrew O. Kaplan, Esq., General Counsel
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